

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Title: "System, Method, and Service for Collaborative Focused
Crawling of Documents on a Network"

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AMENDMENT A

Sir:

Applicants submit this Amendment in response to the Office Action of
December 27, 2006, and respectfully request that it be entered.

The **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims that
begins on page 2 of this paper.

The **Remarks** section begins on page 7 of this paper.